PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Hirohisa SUWABE, et al.

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Examiner: Nicole T. Gugliotta

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For:

CERAMIC HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AND COAT MATERIAL FOR USE IN THE PRODUCTION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 11, 2008 to August 11, 2008.

The statutory fee of \$460.00 is being submitted via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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